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FACULTY OF BUSINESS, ECONOMICS AND ACCOUNTING

DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

EXAMINATION PAPER

COURSE CODE : CAC 103

COURSE TITLE : ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES AND CONCEPTS

DURATION : 3 Hours

DATE : 30 May 2019

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- 1. No cell phones are allowed in the examination venue.
- 2. Use of silent, non-programmable calculators is allowed.
- 3. Answer all questions.
- 4. Each question carries 25 marks.
- 5. Begin each question on a new page.
- 6. The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets.

Question One

- a. The IASC Framework identifies the principal qualitative characteristics of financial statements. Briefly explain each of these characteristics (16marks)
- **b.** Analyse the usefulness of financial statements to the following users
 - i. Creditors
 - ii. Customers
 - iii. Employees

(9marks)

[Total: 25 Marks]

Question Two

The following are extracts from the cash book and the bank statement of F Aerodrome:

Cash Book

| Dr | | | | | Ci |
|-------|----------|--------|-------|----------|--------|
| 2018 | | \$ | 2018 | | \$ |
| Dec 1 | Bal b/d | 3, 419 | Dec 8 | B Young | 462 |
| 7 | F Lamb | 101 | 15 | F Gray | 21 |
| 22 | G Brock | 44 | 28 | T Errant | 209 |
| 31 | W Terry | 319 | 31 | Bal c/d | 3, 437 |
| 31 | S Miller | 246 | | | |
| | | 4,129 | | | 4 129 |

Bank Statement

| 2018 | | Dr | Cr B | alance |
|-------|---------------------------|-----|------|--------|
| | | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Dec 1 | Balance b/d | | | 3,419 |
| 7 | Cheque | | 101 | 3,520 |
| 11 | B Young | 462 | | 3,058 |
| 20 | F Gray | 21 | | 3,037 |
| 22 | Cheque | | 44 | 3,081 |
| 31 | Credit transfer: T Morris | | 93 | 3,174 |
| 31 | Bank charges | 47 | | 3,127 |

Required:

a.

i. Write the cash book up to date and state the new balance as on 31 December 2018.

(6marks)

ii. Draw up a bank reconciliation statement as on 31 December 2018.

(6marks)

iii. Why is a positive bank balance shown as a credit balance in the bank statement?

(3marks)

b. Prepare a sales ledger control account from the following information for October 2018, carrying down the balance at 31 October:

| 2018 | \$ | |
|-----------------------------|--------|---|
| Oct 1 Sales ledger balances | 28,409 | 4 |
| Oct 31 Sales journal | 26,617 | |
| Bad debts written off | 342 | |

| Cheques received from debtors | 24,293 |
|---|--------|
| Discounts allowed | 416 |
| Cheques dishonoured | 120 |
| Returns inwards | 924 |
| Set-offs against balances in purchases ledger | 319 |

[10marks]

[Total: 25 Marks]

Question Three

Enter the following in the three-column cash book of an office supply shop. Balance off the cash book at the end of the month and show the discount accounts in the general ledger.

2018

June 1 Balances brought forward: Cash \$420; Bank \$4,940.

- 2 The following paid us by cheque, in each case deducting a 5 per cent cash discount:
 - S Braga \$820; L Pine \$320; G Hodd \$440; M Rae \$1,040.
- 3 Cash sales paid direct into the bank \$740.
- 5 Paid rent by cash \$340.
- 6 We paid the following accounts by cheque, in each case deducting 21/2 per cent cash discount: M Peters \$360; G Graham \$960; F Bell \$400.
- 8 Withdrew cash from the bank for business use \$400.
- 10 Cash sales \$1,260.
- 12 B Age paid us their account of \$280 by cheque less \$4 cash discount.
- 14 Paid wages by cash \$540.
- 16 We paid the following accounts by cheque: R Todd \$310 less cash discount \$15; F.

Dury \$412 less cash discount \$12.

20 Bought fixtures by cheque \$4,320.

24 Bought lorry paying by cheque \$14,300.

29 Received \$324 cheque from A Line.

30 Cash sales \$980.

30 Bought stationery paying by cash \$56

[Total: 25 Marks]

Question Four

Jean Marsh owns a small business making and selling children's toys. The following trial balance was extracted from her books on 31 December 2018.

| | Dr | Cr |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|
| | \$ | \$ |
| Capital | | 15,000 |
| Drawings | 2,000 | |
| Sales | * | 90,000 |
| Inventories at 1 January 2018: | | |
| Raw materials | 3,400 | |
| Finished goods | 6,100 | |
| Purchases of raw materials | 18,000 | |
| Carriage inwards | 800 | |
| Factory wages | 18,500 | |
| Office salaries | 16,900 | |
| J Marsh: salary and expenses | 10,400 | |

General expenses:

| Factory | 1,200 | |
|--|---------|---------|
| Office | 750 | |
| Lighting | 2,500 | |
| Rent | 3,750 | |
| Insurance | 950 | |
| Advertising | 1,400 | |
| Bad debts | 650 | |
| Discount received | | 1,600 |
| Carriage outwards | 375 | |
| Plant and machinery, at cost less depreciation | | 9,100 |
| Car, at cost less depreciation | 4,200 | |
| Bank | 3,600 | |
| Cash in hand | 325 | |
| Trade receivables and Trade payables | 7,700 | 6,000 |
| | 112,600 | 112,600 |

Additional information:

1. Inventories at 31 December 2018

Raw materials \$2,900

Finished goods \$8,200

There was no work in progress.

2. Depreciation for the year is to be charged as follows:

Plant and machinery \$1,500

Car \$500

- 3. At 31 December 2018 Insurance paid in advance was \$150 and Office general expenses unpaid were \$75.
- 4. Lighting and rent are to be apportioned: 4/5 Factory, 1/5 Office Insurance is to be apportioned: 3/4 Factory, 1/4 Office
- 5. Jean is the business's salesperson and her salary and expenses are to be treated as a selling expense. She has sole use of the business's car.

Required:

For the year ended 31 December 2018 prepare;

- a. A Manufacturing account showing prime cost and factory cost of production (5marks)
- b. A Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income (10marks)
- c. A Statement of financial position (10marks)

[Total: 25 Marks]

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